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R 211700Z AUG 70
FM AMEMBASSY THE HAGUE
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5811
INFO AMEMBASSY LONDON
AMEMBASSY ROME
AMEMBASSY TRIPOLI

DEPARTMENT OF STATE A/CDC/MR
REVIEWED BY d DATE 8/7/81
PORTIONS DENIED AS INDICATED

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SUBJECT: DEMARCHE ON NATIONALIZATION OF PETROLEUM
DISTRIBUTION COMPANIES

REF: TRIPOLI 1979 AND STATE 134154

1. [REDACTED] WE TOLD VAN DER KUN (FONOFF, DIRECTOR FOR ME AND AFRICAN AFFS) THAT IT APPEARED WE WOULD NOW BE PREPARED TO MAKE LOW KEY APPROACH TO LIBYAN GOVT. WE WERE NOT IN FAVOR OF JOINT DEMARCHE. OUR APPROACH MIGHT BE ORAL AND OF INTERROGATORY NATURE.

3. COMMENT: BELIEVE IT WOULD BE HELPFUL IF EMBASSY TRIPOLI

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